



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2168

Docket No.: 1614.1354

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Akira KATOU, et al.

Serial No. 10/629,768

Group Art Unit: 2168

Confirmation No. 7690

Filed: July 30, 2003

Examiner: M. H. Dwivedi

For: CAD GENERATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND COMPUTER-READABLE

STORAGE MEDIUM

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: Mail Stop AF

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 21, 2007 and having a period for response set to expire on August 21, 2007. A Petition for a 1-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to September 21, 2007.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.